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## NOTES ON GERMAN AND AUSTRIAN ENTOMOLOGY By H. Klapperich

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The Coleoptera collection of the Bayerische Staatssammlung, Munchen, Germany, was evacuated during the war. All of the museum buildings were destroyed by a great fire after an air-raid in April, 1944. However, only a small part of the Coleoptera collections was damaged. Parts of the collections of Josef Daniel and Clemens Muller were lost.

The collections of Haag-Rutenberg, v. Ceydlitz, Ertl, Carl Daniel, A. Schuster, the types of Perty, and the Dytiscidae collection of A. Zimmerman were not damaged. The library of the Entomological Department was entirely saved. This department has now established itself at the "Schloss Nymphenburg, Munchen." The administration of the Zool. Staatssammlung is now at the "Botanical Institut, Munchen 38, Menzingerstr. 13, Germany". This is also the post address of the Entomological Department.

The Naturhistorisches Museum, Stuttgart, (Wurttembergische Naturalien Sammlung) was destroyed completely by bombs during an air-raid. But the greater part of the Coleoptera collections were evacuated and saved. This collection included: The Palearctic collection of Piesbergen, the collection of v. d. Trappen, with the Pienhardt collection, the Zugel collection, the collection of exotic beetles of Gustav Jager, the Dr. Maag collection (beetles of South-west-Africa), the important collection of Lucanidae and Passalidae of Piesbergen, the great Goliathiden collection and the greatest part of the important Cerambycidae collection.

The Scriba (Heilbronn) collection was entirely destroyed.

There follows a partial list of German and Austrian determiners and revisors:

Herzer, A., Dr. (24a) Bad Schwartau, Bismarckstr. 1, Germany, Histeridae of the world.

Haberacker, L., Dipl. Ing., Munchen 2, Ottostr. 3, II, Germany, Dynastidae of the world.

Schein, H., Stadtdirektor, Munchen 25, Implerstr. 60, I, Germany, Cetonidae of the world.